

Allied World Specialty Insurance
Laboratories Consumer Care, Inc.,
Company, f/k/a Darwin National Assurance
Company

Plaintiffs,

v.

MRL Plumbing, LLC; Michael Lobdell; and
Patricia Lobdell,

Defendants.

ORDER GRANTING DEFAULT JUDGMENT

The Court is charged with conducting a *de novo* review of any portion of the Report to which a specific objection is registered, and may accept, reject, or modify, in whole or in part, the recommendations contained therein. 28 U.S.C. § 636. However, in the absence of objections to the Report, the Court is not required to give any explanation for adopting the Magistrate Judge’s recommendation. *See Camby v. Davis*, 718 F.2d 198, 200 (4th Cir. 1983). In such a case, “a district court need not conduct a *de novo* review, but instead must ‘only satisfy itself that there is no clear

error on the face of the record in order to accept the recommendation.’” *Diamond v. Colonial Life & Accident Ins. Co.*, 416 F.3d 310, 315 (4th Cir. 2005) (quoting Fed. R. Civ. P. 72 advisory committee’s note).

In light of this standard, the Court has carefully reviewed the Report, the relevant filings, and the applicable law and notes that Plaintiff has not responded to the Motion for Default Judgment or filed objections to the Report. Therefore, it is hereby **ORDERED** that the Report, ECF No. 71, is **ACCEPTED**. For the reasons articulated by the Magistrate Judge, Plaintiff’s motion for default judgment, ECF No. 60, is **GRANTED**. The Clerk is directed to **ENTER DEFAULT JUDGMENT** against Defendant MRL Plumbing, LLC, for a sum certain for paid losses and expenses in the amount of \$607,437.25, and for attorneys’ fees and costs. *See* F.R.C.P. 55(b)(1).

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/ Terry L. Wooten
TERRY L. WOOTEN
Chief United States District Judge

February 28, 2018
Columbia, South Carolina